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1. The recruiting of ethnic Germans is effected in the following manner : German families in Yugoslavia are selected at random by the UDE . These families then ask their relatives who live as DPs in Austria to report at the Yugoslav Repatriation Committee in Klagenfurt, asking to return to Yugoslavia. At the same time the UDB gives the Repatriation Committee in Klagenfurt a list of those persons who are qualified for repatriation.
2. Yugoslav attempts to persuade the Germans to return have not been notably successful. In the Peffernitz DP camp only two elderly women declared their readiness to return to Yugoslavia. Both were rejected by the Repatriation Committee because of their age.

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